

CLEVER SOLDIER ATHLETES

Some Fine Contests at the National Guard Indoor Meet.

The Corcoran Cadets Carry Off a Majority of First Honors—The Relay Races Prove Exciting Features—A Large Crowd Watches the Sport.

It has been shown that athletes make good soldiers, and it was demonstrated last night that soldiers make good athletes. The occasion was the third annual indoor meet of the Athletic Association of the District of Columbia, National Guard. The affair, under the direction of Capt. E. C. Edwards, proved the most successful in every respect, even attracted here under auspices of the militia. Many of the track performances were of a high order, and the field events were interesting throughout. Alternating with the athletic features, amusing and high class specialties were run off, and the interest of the crowd, numbering about 2,000 persons, was held until the end of the very long programme. The occasion was enlivened with music by the National Guard Band, under the direction of Louis D. B. McLeod. At the end of the programme the winners of the several events were awarded handsome prizes by the general commanding the District militia.

The first event was the 20-yard open dash, the preliminary trials of which were run off Thursday night, and the winners qualified for the finals. The semi-finals were won by Graham, Y. M. C. A., in six seconds, Robinson, Y. M. C. A., winning the final in 5.5 seconds. The next event was a 50-yard dash and return to heavy marching order, National Guard championship, the contestant passing the best inspection being the winner. The event proved a double triumph, and very amusing to the audience. W. L. Nash made the best time, finishing in 2.58, but he did not pass as good an inspection as W. A. Dowling, Company A, Second Battalion, who won the prize, although it took him 2.58 to present himself before the inspectors.

The pole vault was an interesting event and was well contested, until the final round, when the winner, McQuinn, of the Corcoran, went out. McQuinn went up to a height of 10 feet 6 inches, which brought Zell, C. C. C., cleared with ease and won.

The 100-yard race was won by Lent, C. C. C., in 15.5 seconds; Nash, second, in 16.5 seconds. The 200-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 35.5 seconds.

The 400-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 1:15.5; Nash, second, in 1:17.5. The 800-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 2:35.5; Nash, second, in 2:40.5.

The 1,600-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 5:45.5; Nash, second, in 5:50.5. The 3,200-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 11:45.5; Nash, second, in 11:50.5.

The 6,400-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 23:45.5; Nash, second, in 23:50.5. The 12,800-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 47:45.5; Nash, second, in 47:50.5.

The 25,600-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 1:35:45.5; Nash, second, in 1:35:50.5. The 51,200-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 3:11:45.5; Nash, second, in 3:11:50.5.

The 102,400-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 6:23:45.5; Nash, second, in 6:23:50.5. The 204,800-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 12:47:45.5; Nash, second, in 12:47:50.5.

The 409,600-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 25:35:45.5; Nash, second, in 25:35:50.5. The 819,200-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 51:11:45.5; Nash, second, in 51:11:50.5.

The 1,638,400-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 1:42:45.5; Nash, second, in 1:42:50.5. The 3,276,800-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 2:55:45.5; Nash, second, in 2:55:50.5.

The 6,553,600-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 5:51:45.5; Nash, second, in 5:51:50.5. The 13,107,200-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 11:43:45.5; Nash, second, in 11:43:50.5.

The 26,214,400-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 23:29:45.5; Nash, second, in 23:29:50.5. The 52,428,800-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 46:59:45.5; Nash, second, in 46:59:50.5.

The 104,857,600-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 1:33:45.5; Nash, second, in 1:33:50.5. The 209,715,200-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 2:57:45.5; Nash, second, in 2:57:50.5.

The 419,430,400-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 5:54:45.5; Nash, second, in 5:54:50.5. The 838,860,800-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 11:52:45.5; Nash, second, in 11:52:50.5.

The 1,677,721,600-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 23:44:45.5; Nash, second, in 23:44:50.5. The 3,355,443,200-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 47:29:45.5; Nash, second, in 47:29:50.5.

The 6,710,886,400-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 1:34:45.5; Nash, second, in 1:34:50.5. The 13,421,772,800-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 2:58:45.5; Nash, second, in 2:58:50.5.

The 26,843,545,600-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 5:56:45.5; Nash, second, in 5:56:50.5. The 53,687,091,200-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 11:54:45.5; Nash, second, in 11:54:50.5.

The 107,374,182,400-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 23:50:45.5; Nash, second, in 23:50:50.5. The 214,748,364,800-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 47:40:45.5; Nash, second, in 47:40:50.5.

The 429,496,729,600-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 1:35:45.5; Nash, second, in 1:35:50.5. The 858,993,459,200-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 2:59:45.5; Nash, second, in 2:59:50.5.

The 1,717,986,918,400-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 5:59:45.5; Nash, second, in 5:59:50.5. The 3,435,973,836,800-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 11:59:45.5; Nash, second, in 11:59:50.5.

The 6,871,947,673,600-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 23:58:45.5; Nash, second, in 23:58:50.5. The 13,743,895,347,200-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 47:56:45.5; Nash, second, in 47:56:50.5.

The 27,487,788,694,400-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 1:36:45.5; Nash, second, in 1:36:50.5. The 54,975,577,388,800-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 2:59:45.5; Nash, second, in 2:59:50.5.

The 109,951,154,777,600-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 5:59:45.5; Nash, second, in 5:59:50.5. The 219,902,309,555,200-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 11:59:45.5; Nash, second, in 11:59:50.5.

The 439,804,619,110,400-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 23:58:45.5; Nash, second, in 23:58:50.5. The 879,609,238,220,800-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 47:56:45.5; Nash, second, in 47:56:50.5.

The 1,759,218,476,441,600-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 1:36:45.5; Nash, second, in 1:36:50.5. The 3,518,436,952,883,200-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 2:59:45.5; Nash, second, in 2:59:50.5.

The 7,036,873,905,766,400-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 5:59:45.5; Nash, second, in 5:59:50.5. The 14,073,747,811,532,800-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 11:59:45.5; Nash, second, in 11:59:50.5.

The 28,147,495,623,065,600-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 23:58:45.5; Nash, second, in 23:58:50.5. The 56,294,991,246,131,200-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 47:56:45.5; Nash, second, in 47:56:50.5.

The 112,589,982,492,262,400-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 1:36:45.5; Nash, second, in 1:36:50.5. The 225,179,964,984,524,800-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 2:59:45.5; Nash, second, in 2:59:50.5.

The 450,359,929,969,049,600-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 5:59:45.5; Nash, second, in 5:59:50.5. The 900,719,859,938,099,200-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 11:59:45.5; Nash, second, in 11:59:50.5.

The 1,801,439,719,876,198,400-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 23:58:45.5; Nash, second, in 23:58:50.5. The 3,602,879,439,752,396,800-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 47:56:45.5; Nash, second, in 47:56:50.5.

The 7,205,758,879,504,793,600-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 1:36:45.5; Nash, second, in 1:36:50.5. The 14,411,517,759,009,587,200-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 2:59:45.5; Nash, second, in 2:59:50.5.

The 28,823,035,518,019,174,400-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 5:59:45.5; Nash, second, in 5:59:50.5. The 57,646,071,036,038,348,800-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 11:59:45.5; Nash, second, in 11:59:50.5.

The 115,292,142,072,076,697,600-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 23:58:45.5; Nash, second, in 23:58:50.5. The 230,584,284,144,153,395,200-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 47:56:45.5; Nash, second, in 47:56:50.5.

The 461,168,568,288,306,790,400-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 1:36:45.5; Nash, second, in 1:36:50.5. The 922,337,136,576,613,580,800-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 2:59:45.5; Nash, second, in 2:59:50.5.

The 1,844,674,273,153,227,161,600-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 5:59:45.5; Nash, second, in 5:59:50.5. The 3,689,348,546,306,454,323,200-yard race was won by McQuinn, of the Corcoran, in 11:59:45.5; Nash, second, in 11:59:50.5.

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senting the Corcoran and Light Infantry, and was won by the former in 5:20. The winning team consisted of McQuinn, Nash, Zell, and Poirson.

A special relay for juniors proved one of the most interesting numbers of the programme. It was won by the Corcoran, in 1:15.5.

The teams composed of the Young Men's Christian Association juniors were full of spirit and worked their positions and turned their corners like veterans, and Captain Walker was the president man in the team, when he won the lap which decided that his team had won. His companions were long and short, including Berthrong, D. Ellsworth, and Captain Berthrong.

The last number proved most amusing of the contest, and consisted of fully equipped soldiers going over and under and through all sorts of obstacles, and was won by the Corcoran, in 1:15.5.

Among the special features which were given by the spectators was an exhibition on the trick ring and parallel bars, and a display of the Corcoran's new and difficult movements by the Del Ray High School team, which included Ray, Hight, and the Hurt Club, and trick and tramp bicycle riding by Myron Parker and Lee Armstrong.

ENGLISH OARSMEN WARNED.

The Pennsylvania Crew Considered Formidable by an Expert.

LONDON, April 20.—Thus far the only foreign entry for the Henley regatta is that of the University of Pennsylvania.

The "Daily News," in an editorial, says that the Pennsylvania crew will be formidable, if only for the reason that they will have been together for a long time, and will devote themselves to one race.

It adds that whenever the English oarsmen make a special effort and take exceptional trouble if they wish to make some of retaining the Grand Challenge Cup.

The writer of the editorial in R. C. Leitch, editor of the "Daily News," and well-known oarsman. He was formerly coach of the Harvard crew.

THE RACING CALENDAR.

Results at Aqueduct.

APRIL 19.—Results of today's races:

First race—For two-year-olds, and up to 120 lbs.; 1 mile. Winner, 1:15.5.

Second race—For three-year-olds, and up to 120 lbs.; 1 mile. Winner, 1:15.5.

Third race—For four-year-olds, and up to 120 lbs.; 1 mile. Winner, 1:15.5.

Fourth race—For five-year-olds, and up to 120 lbs.; 1 mile. Winner, 1:15.5.

Fifth race—For six-year-olds, and up to 120 lbs.; 1 mile. Winner, 1:15.5.

Sixth race—For seven-year-olds, and up to 120 lbs.; 1 mile. Winner, 1:15.5.

Seventh race—For eight-year-olds, and up to 120 lbs.; 1 mile. Winner, 1:15.5.

Eighth race—For nine-year-olds, and up to 120 lbs.; 1 mile. Winner, 1:15.5.

Ninth race—For ten-year-olds, and up to 120 lbs.; 1 mile. Winner, 1:15.5.

Tenth race—For eleven-year-olds, and up to 120 lbs.; 1 mile. Winner, 1:15.5.

Eleventh race—For twelve-year-olds, and up to 120 lbs.; 1 mile. Winner, 1:15.5.

Twelfth race—For thirteen-year-olds, and up to 120 lbs.; 1 mile. Winner, 1:15.5.

Thirteenth race—For fourteen-year-olds, and up to 120 lbs.; 1 mile. Winner, 1:15.5.

Fourteenth race—For fifteen-year-olds, and up to 120 lbs.; 1 mile. Winner, 1:15.5.

IN THE BASEBALL WORLD.

Games Yesterday.

Brooklyn, 10; Philadelphia, 2.
Boston, 7; New York, 0.
Chicago, 8; St. Louis, 7.

Games Today.

Brooklyn at Philadelphia.
Boston at New York.
Chicago at St. Louis.
Pittsburgh at Cincinnati.

How the Clubs Stand.

Won. Lost. P. C.

Brooklyn, 10; Philadelphia, 2.
Boston, 7; New York, 0.
Chicago, 8; St. Louis, 7.

BIDDING FOR THE PENNANT.

Brooklyn Beats the Quakers in Championship Style.

NEW YORK, April 19.—In all but the weather the opening of the baseball championship season in Brooklyn today was auspicious. The attendance, as given out by the club officials, was 7,000. It was with satisfaction that the crowd saw the Brooklyn win and simultaneously play in a form that presages ability to hold their own with their league rivals as capably as in the two seasons just passed.

From the time McCree brought a storm of applause on himself with a smoking drive for a home run in the second inning to the time the last ball had been thrown, across the diamond, the Champions held the whip hand. It was a one-sided game. The score:

Brooklyn, 10; Philadelphia, 2.

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runs, Powell, hit by pitcher, Delehanty. Double plays—Taylor, McCormick, Doyle. Base on balls—Off Taylor, 1. Left on base—Chicago, 5. St. Louis, 2. Struck out—By Powell, 4; by Taylor, 2. Passed balls—Kling, 1. Stolen bases—Krieger, Childs, Doyle, Delehanty, Heidrick. Time, two hours and seven minutes. Umpire, Emslie.

NICHOLS IN GREAT FORM.

The Boston Twinkles Gives the Giants But Five Hits.

BOSTON, April 19.—A holiday crowd of 6,500 persons thrived through nine innings of good baseball at the South End grounds this afternoon, it being the opening game in the National League series for both the New York and the Boston clubs. Captain Davis' men were not equal to the task of defeating Seaver's team, although they made every effort to send a run across the plate throughout the game.

Charles Nichols was largely responsible for the defeat of the Giants. He had excellent control, plenty of speed, and the regular nerve to pitch himself out of tight spots several times early in the game.

Score:

Boston, 10; New York, 5.

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